

## Project Update – Gipps Street, Claremont Meadows

Transport for NSW (TfNSW) is upgrading Gipps Street (the existing east leg) at its intersection with Sunflower Drive North by constructing new pavement on the east side, a drainage system, installing signage and line marking, and upgrading the existing traffic control signal. This road work will provide construction vehicles with access to the eastern side of the Gipps Street intersection. Work will be carried out for about six months.

The upgrade may also be utilised for the construction of the Sydney Metro – Western Sydney Airport project. This new metro railway line will service Greater Western Sydney and the new Western Sydney International (Nancy-Bird Walton) Airport. The city-shaping project will deliver new stations at St Marys, Orchard Hills, Luddenham, Airport Business Park, Airport Terminal and the Western Sydney Aerotropolis. The 23 kilometre new railway is planned to open at the same time as passenger services start at the airport.

### Location of Gipps Street works



### Progress to date

Early works, such as vegetation removal, have been completed. In June 2021, main works including site establishment, utility adjustments, earthworks and drainage works started and continued through July and August 2021.

### What happens next?

From late August until the end of November, main works will continue including topsoil removal, upgrading the concrete roadside barrier, relocating and installing new street lights, and installing new stormwater drainage, pavement, kerbing and footpaths. These works are being undertaken in line with the current Public Health Orders. Please note the evolving situation with COVID may impact our planned dates of work and require some scheduling flexibility.

## How will the work affect you?

Work may be noisy at times but we will do everything we can to minimise its impact and have noise monitors in place.

## Traffic changes

There may be temporary traffic changes required during our work hours to ensure the work zone is safe. Please keep to speed limits and follow signs and traffic controllers' directions. For the latest traffic updates, you can call 132 701, visit [livetraffic.com](http://livetraffic.com) or download the Live Traffic NSW App.

## Our work schedule

On 25 March 2021, the NSW Government extended the prescribed period for implementing changes to standard working hours due to COVID-19 until 31 March 2022. The extended hours are part of the NSW Government's efforts to support the State's economic recovery, protect the health and safety of the community and ensure businesses are able to adapt and respond to changing needs. For more information please refer to the Department of Planning, Industry and Environment's website [www.planning.nsw.gov.au/policy-and-legislation/COVID19-response](http://www.planning.nsw.gov.au/policy-and-legislation/COVID19-response).

Our work hours will be **Monday to Sunday** from **7am to 6pm**. Where specifically required the **night work** hours will be **Sunday to Thursday** from **7pm to 5am**. Please note that some work, such as concrete deliveries, pours and finishing may extend up to 10pm to ensure work is undertaken safely and concrete sets properly.

## Contact

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Thank you for your patience during this important work. We will continue to keep you informed with regular project updates.



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